

—❖PROGRAMME OF EXERCISES❖—

— AT —

RIVERSIDE PARK,

Tomb of General U. S. Grant,

Memorial Day, May 30th, 1887.

1. Funeral March.

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CONTERNO'S BAND.

CHOPIN

2. Ritual of the Grand Army of the Republic.

COMMANDER HENRY W. KNIGHT, U. S. GRANT POST, No. 327.

"Comrades, the duty of to-day is of impressive significance," &c.

3. Integer Vitæ.

GENTLEMEN OF THE APOLLO CLUB, JOHN HYATT BREWER, DIRECTOR,

He who is upright, kind, and free from errors,  
Needs not the aid of arms or men to guard him;  
Safely he moves—a child to guilty terrors,  
Strong in his virtues.

If fate should take me where the summer breezes  
Ne'er warmed the earth nor sported with the flowers,  
Where darkness reigns, and angry Jove oppresses  
Faint, toiling mortals,

Place me where fate denies to man a dwelling;  
Conscious of right, all other cares neglecting,  
There could I live, thy charms and virtues telling,  
Sweet, smiling Nature.

#### 4. Prayer.

REV. D. O. FERRIS, CHAPLAIN, U. S. GRANT POST, No. 327.

#### 5. Ritual of the G. A. B.

COMMANDER HENRY W. KNIGHT.

"To-day is the festival of our dead," &c.

#### 6. Ritual G. A. B.

- - RESPONSIVE SERVICE

CHAPLAIN D. O. FERRIS AND APOLLO CLUB,

*Chap.*—"What man is that liveth and shall not see death? Shall he deliver his soul from the hand of the grave? If a man die, shall he live again?"

*Choir.*—"Jesus Christ said, 'I am the resurrection and the life. He that believeth in Me, though he were dead, yet shall he live; and he that liveth and believeth in Me shall never die.'"

*Chap.*—"Let not your heart be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in Me. In My Father's house are many mansions. I go to prepare a place for you."

*Choir.*—"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord. Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors."

*Chap.*—"They shall hunger no more; neither thirst any more."

*Choir.*—"Neither shall the sun light on them, nor any heat."

*Chap.*—"For the Lamb, which is in the midst of the throne, shall feed them, and lead them unto living fountains of water."

*Choir.*—"And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes."

*Chap.*—"There shall be no more death, neither sorrow nor crying; neither shall there be any more pain."

*Choir.*—"For the former things have passed away."

## 7. Ritual of the G. A. B.

OFFICER OF THE DAY P. S. WILLIAMSON, U. S. GRANT POST, No. 327.

"In your name, my comrades," &c.

## 8. Ritual of the G. A. B.

CHAPLAIN D. O. FERRIS.

"Comrades, by this service, without distinction of race or creed," &c.

## 9. In Memoriam,

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DUDLEY BUCK

GENTLEMEN OF THE APOLLO CLUB, JOHN HYATT BREWER, DIRECTOR.

"Fair are these houses, fairer far the dwelling  
Built by the Master.  
Death, the gentle angel, tenderly leads us,  
Throwing wide the portals,  
Bidding us enter.  
Blessed is life here, though by new affliction  
Saddened each moment.  
There beyond the river  
Happier are the sainted;  
There the bliss unending, knowing no sorrow.  
Gloomy for us; our paths they tread no longer.  
Kindly the hand of Christ stretches out thro' the darkness,  
Clasping it stand we, waiting till the summons calls us to follow."

## 10. Oration.

JOHN RHEY THOMPSON, D. D.

## 11. Funeral March,

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BEETHOVEN

CONTERNO'S BAND.

## 12. Hymn,

AMERICA

GENTLEMEN OF THE APOLLO CLUB.

My country, 'tis of thee,  
Sweet land of liberty.

Of thee I sing,  
Land where my fathers died—  
Land of the pilgrim's pride.  
From every mountain side  
Let Freedom ring.

My native country thee,  
Land of the noble, free,  
Thy name I love.  
I love thy rocks and rills,  
Thy woods and templed hills.  
My heart with rapture thrills  
Like that above.

Let music swell the breeze,  
And ring from all the trees  
Sweet Freedom's song.  
Let mortal tongues awake,  
Let all that breathe partake,  
Let rocks their silence break—  
The sound prolong.

Our fathers' God to thee,  
Author of liberty,  
To thee we sing.  
Long may our land be bright  
With Freedom's holy light;  
Protect us by Thy might,  
Great God, our King!

## 13. Rest, Spirit, Rest.

CONTERNO'S BAND.

## 14. Bugle Call,

"LIGHTS OUT"

## 15. Benediction.

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